

MOTT LEADS THE TREASURY RAIDERS

Apparently He Is Trying to Force the City Into Bankruptcy.

Is the city bankrupt? The riding of the city treasury still goes on under the direction of Frank K. Mott, chairman of the Finance Committee. The Council meets every night ostensibly to consider the matter of fixing water rates, but at almost every meeting some new claim against the treasury in connection with the water suit comes up. The fact that the city's direct expenses already exceed the \$20,000 mark and are steadily piling up, is an indication of the reckless manner in which the money has been spent.

Since the stabulation of the accrued costs on March 12, several new claims have come in. On Wednesday night one for \$200 was presented on behalf of Sam Blum of Martinez, for services as an alleged real estate expert. The character of this claim shows how Mott gives the public money away with both hands on the most trifling pretexts. Blum's alleged services consisted of spending about fifteen minutes on the stand in giving an estimate of the value of three tracts of land on Pinole Creek. In one of these tracts, he owns an equity interest which he is trying to dispose of. Therefore he wants to boost the Pinole water scheme. His land has been sold under mortgage foreclosure, but he holds the right of redemption for a limited period. Now it is proposed to give this man \$20 out of the city treasury for saying a good word for a project in which he has a personal interest. He is no more an expert than he is King of the Cannibal Islands.

It must be borne in mind that the expenses charged up against the water case do not include the money paid out by Attorney Dow, who was determined to

for prospecting the land of Captain Roberts for artesian water, nor the sums paid out to M. K. Miller as consulting engineer for the city, and the compensation of the Board of Engineers that surveyed Lake Merritt in order to afford a pretext for involving the municipality in a worthless law suit with a score or so of property owners.

Mott has sanctioned the payment of several thousand dollars on account of the well boring operations at Roberts' Landing as well as the \$100 presented by W. A. Dow to save that worthy's date.

While the Finance Committee, under the leadership of Chairman Mott, is pulling out the money in the treasury on all sorts of pretexts, the current expenses of the city are not being met, bills to the amount of over \$4,000 for water supplied the city departments are being held up, and the High School, the Cole School and other special schools are only run for the remainder of the term by holding up the salaries of the teachers and making them a charge against the revenues next year. It may be necessary to hold up salaries all along the line.

If the City Treasury is not bankrupt, it is perilously near it. A statement of the exact financial condition of the municipality at this time would be an appalling commentary on the methods of Mott, Cudwell et al.

There is danger that the merchants who furnish the city with supplies will find themselves minus both goods and money at the close of the fiscal year. Last year the merchants were only saved the loss of \$10,000 by the resolute stand of Mayor Snow and City Engineer Clement.

buy a fire engine from his friend A. D. Fish and let the merchants whistle for their pay. He was well aware that those bills had to be paid out of the revenues of the current year or he is to total loss to the men who supplied the goods. Now Dow, with the aid of Mott and Cudwell, has himself reached into the City Treasury to take money that rightly belongs to tradesmen and others holding legitimate claims against the city.

Under the present condition of affairs business men holding unpaid claims against the city would be justified in suing out an injunction to restrain the Council from spending any more money on irregular projects and political favorites.

Among the amounts dispensed with prodigally by Mott & Co., on account of the water suit, are \$400 to George F. Allard, \$100 to M. K. Miller, and \$300 to Van Bokkelen & Crandall, two San Francisco bookkeepers. These huge sums make Sam Blum's \$20 claim look modest by comparison.

It will be remembered that the city was threatened with a financial stranglehold at the opening of the fiscal year. That was before nearly \$30,000 had been expended for outside purposes not included in the yearly budget. All the departments were cut down to the lowest notch, the schools included. Now that the city treasury has been burdened with this huge mass of claims, it cannot muster suffer. Who will be? The city old not have enough money to pay its legitimate running expenses to start with, and the Council has since incurred something like \$50,000 of indebtedness for various outside purposes.

Exciting Scene in the Cafe of a New York Hotel.

TWO MEN SHOT BY LUNATIC FOR CHINA

United States Wants Indemnities Scaled Down.

Student Insults an Actress and Starts Shooting.

It Sets an Example of Generosity to the Powers.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, March 22.—Two men were shot at an early hour this morning in the Rathskeller of the Pabst Hotel by a man who is believed to be insane. The injured men are J. D. Leffingwell, 10 years old, of the Broadway Theatre, who is wounded in the left side, and A. W. Dingwall, general manager of Jacob Little's theatrical enterprises. The man who is alleged to have done the shooting gave his name as Richard Hayden Morris, 20 years old, and is said to be a student and a native of Tennessee, a guest of the Criterion Hotel. He was picked up at 11.

About 1:15 o'clock Morris entered the Rathskeller, where probably twenty-five men and women were eating and drinking, and it is said, began to talk abusively to the courts for adjudication. There ought to be some way to stop this wanton abuse of power and such criminal waste of public money. The whole city government is being dragged a helpless and impotent wreck in the trials of the Enquirer's crusade against the water company. The agents of the political firm of which that sheet is the organ are quartered on the city treasury in defiance of decency and the pretense of the voters, while every legitimate function of municipal government is neglected and pro-

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Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, March 22.—Although the situation at Tien Tsin was never regarded here as really dangerous, the officials felt that a prolongation of the hostile attitude of the British and Russian forces might lead to trouble in the end, so that the news of the arrangement by which both of the powers are enabled to recede from their positions without loss of honor was received here. With this exciting issue withdrawn, the Chinese trouble has assumed a less menacing aspect and it is reported that the Ministers have been able, leaving in abeyance the troublesome subject of indemnities, to make some headway toward the dispensation of the points remaining to be adjusted under the articles subscribed to by China and the Powers as the basis for the joint meeting at Peking.

Further inquiry into the indemnity question makes it appear that the sum of \$200,000,000 which our Government considers the maximum that should be levied upon the Chinese as a tax, represents absolutely the limit of Chinese ability, according to the calculations of the officials best informed as to the resources of China. The figure named does not represent the aggregate of the indemnities claimed. On the contrary, it is understood that these are very much larger. The United States fixed upon the sum of \$25,000,000 as a suitable indemnity to be claimed, notwithstanding that officials of the various departments are satisfied that this sum will only provide for the payment of a certain percentage of the items claimed, because it was felt that this was as much as we should claim proportionately of the total of \$200,000,000.

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ENGLAND TAKES RUSSIA'S WORD.

CONFER ON THE SENATORSHIP.

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LONDON, Mar. 22.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today as to whether the government proposed to ask Germany to act with reference to Russia's action in Manchuria, the Foreign Secretary, Lord Cranborne, replied that the Russian government had repeated the declared intention to respect the integrity of China and the British government was not aware that Russia had infi-

Associated Press Dispatches by

WASHINGTON, Mar. 22.—The Nebraska Senatorial situation was considered at a consultation between the Presidents and Senator Hanna, chairman of the Republican National Committee, today. The Administration is anxious that the deadlock be broken, and the Republican National Committee has been exerting its influence to that end. Senator Hanna did not refuse the publication of the telegrams which he sent to Lincoln urging acquiescence in the will of the majority, and said he will send no more telegrams to people who make them public.

"I have hopes," said the Senator, "that sooner or later loyalty to the Republican party will bring the bolters to their senses."

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PANY IS CLEAR OF REBELS.

Filipino Commander and His Followers Surrender.

Gen. MacArthur Says Island Insurrection Is Ended.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
WASHINGTON, Mar. 22.—General MacArthur at Manila, under date of March 22, cables the War Department as follows:

"Hughes reports surrender of Fulan and command, Antique, province of Panay, 180 rifles. This ends the insurrection in Panay."

REBELS SURRENDER.

MANILA, Mar. 22.—(12 P. M.)—General Fulan and 180 of his command, armed with rifles, surrendered to Colonel Scott of the Forty-ninth Infantry at Antique, Island of Panay, today.

WOULD LEASE THE TUNNEL.

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NEW YORK, March 22.—At a meeting of the Committees on Streets and Highways of the Board of Aldermen, held in the Brooklyn Borough Hall last night, Albert I. Johnson offered to become a tenant of the Brooklyn tunnel and reduce the time of travel between the Battery and Richmond Borough to fifteen minutes, besides establishing a 3-cent fare, if the tunnel were built as he wished it.

Mr. Johnson said in part: "I am willing to consider any reasonable proposition that may be offered by the Rapid Transit Commission, if they include in its proposed route one which will lead through Mr. Madden's pet hobby of increasing the registry business of the Post-office, is of interest to the general public and reads as follows:

"The success of the system of registration of valuable letters by carriers on their routes depends, in a great measure, upon the energy, zeal and faithfulness of the letter carriers themselves in encouraging their patrons to patronize this service."

"If the Commission will submit such a plan, I will bring before it such a proposition worthy of their consideration. To meet the debt limit objection I will say that if the Commission will prepare such a plan and it shows the necessary cost will be in excess of the debt limit, I am capable of bringing sufficient credit to make up the deficiency."

He went on to say that the single tube system was most economical for the tunnel, four or six of which could be made, according to the number of corporations which would join in the construction. These conditions being satisfied, he said, he would give transportation from the Battery to Staten Island for 3 cents, binding himself to charge no more than that, and would cover the distance in fifteen minutes. He then made the announcement that he had all the grants and capital and was already constructing a road from New York to Philadelphia, on which he intended to charge a 5 cent fare. He said he would land his passengers from this road at South Ferry, and if he got the tunnel right he would make it a part of the Philadelphia road.

"Therefore, the Postmaster at every free-delivery office is requested to send to this office, as soon as practicable after the 1st of July, 1901, the names and numbers of these letter carriers at his office who registered the greatest number of articles on their routes during the period beginning July 1 and ending June 30, 1901, together with the names of the articles registered by each. Respectfully,

EDWIN C. MADDEN.

"Third Assistant Postmaster General." One of Mr. Madden's chief objects is to induce people to give carriers their regular route instead of using the Post-office, thus making the registry service at once more efficient and important.

With the thirty-third local letter carriers will vie with each other for the possible honor that will fall upon a trio, the one who is in favor of Dan Hulme, "Papa" Joe Kenny and Harry Miller, familiarly called "Long Gray," being distinguished as the tallest carrier in the postal service of Uncle Sam.

Mrs. O'Connor denies that she is an enemy of her sister, Mrs. Crann. Both are married. Mrs. O'Connor has resided for twenty-six years in Oakland and is the mother of eleven children. Mrs. Crann resides in San Francisco and is a childless. According to Mrs. O'Connor, her sister has always displayed great affection for the O'Connor children, treating them as if they were her own.

"Our differences all came about money which my sister loaned me," said Mrs. O'Connor today. "My sister knew that I was not able to repay her at once, and understood that I would repay the loan as soon as I had finished paying for the land where I built a home. But she came to me on a Sunday night and insisted on my giving her a mortgage on our home instead. That was not in our agreement and was quite impossible."

"My husband has a good position with the railroad company and is not a 'section chief,' continued Mrs. O'Connor. "I have never quarreled with my sister, though she was very excited and called me names. I am well known here. Here are my children, who were born and raised in Oakland. I certainly would not cheat my sister. We are as affectionate as sisters could be until she demanded this mortgage. She made an agreement about loaning the money to me, but no word was said of a mortgage. She knew I would repay as soon as I could. I think she would not have acted as she had but for bad advisers."

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Young Holloway in Court.

The case of Ernest Holloway, arrested by Fred Clift and Officer Hand for battering several small boys yesterday, was continued in the Police Court this morning till March 27th to trial. The accused was found having entered the basement under Durfee's residence in East Oakland recently and stolen a lot of tools.

POLICE CHARGE RIOTERS

Fierce Fight With a Mob in Streets of Marseilles.

Strikers Attack Street Cars and Cut Wires.

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PEKING, Mar. 22.—The troops on both sides of the disputed land at Tien Tsin have been withdrawn and all danger of a fracas is ended.

The opinion of the British press is that the promptness of General Barrow in calling up the marines from Taku prevented a collision. The British report that prior to the arrival of the marines sentries were supplied from the Madras Hussars, who for several days were surrounded by crowds of foreign soldiers, mostly French, who assaulted them with clubs of abuse, calling them "coolies."

The marines were becoming restive when the sentries arrived at night and quietly relieved them, and it was only when daylight appeared that the Russians discovered the change.

OUR WALKING REGISTRARS OF LETTERS.

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An unprecedented opportunity for competition among the thirty-eight letter carriers of the Oakland Postoffice has been created through a circular issued to the Postmasters at all free delivery offices by Third Assistant Postmaster General Edward C. Madden. The circular, directed toward Mr. Madden's pet hobby of increasing the registry business of the Post-office, is of interest to the general public and reads as follows:

"The success of the system of registration of valuable letters by carriers on their routes depends, in a great measure, upon the energy, zeal and faithfulness of the letter carriers themselves in encouraging their patrons to patronize this service."

"It is not difficult for any Postmaster to determine which of the carriers of his force are faithfully and properly co-operating with the Department in its efforts to gather all valuable matter into the registered mail."

"Thus far the letter carriers, with but few exceptions, have generally performed their duty in this important service intelligently and satisfactorily."

"For purposes of its own, the Department desires to ascertain the names of the carriers who, when the circumstances and conditions of their respective routes are taken into consideration, have given the highest degree of satisfaction in this branch of the service."

"Therefore, the Postmaster at every free-delivery office is requested to send to this office, as soon as practicable after the 1st of July, 1901, the names and numbers of these letter carriers at his office who registered the greatest number of articles on their routes during the period beginning July 1 and ending June 30, 1901, together with the names of the articles registered by each. Respectfully,

EDWIN C. MADDEN.

"Third Assistant Postmaster General." One of Mr. Madden's chief objects is to induce people to give carriers their regular route instead of using the Post-office, thus making the registry service at once more efficient and important.

With the thirty-third local letter carriers will vie with each other for the possible honor that will fall upon a trio, the one who is in favor of Dan Hulme, "Papa" Joe Kenny and Harry Miller, familiarly called "Long Gray," being distinguished as the tallest carrier in the postal service of Uncle Sam.

Mrs. O'Connor denies that she is an enemy of her sister, Mrs. Crann. Both are married. Mrs. O'Connor has resided for twenty-six years in Oakland and is the mother of eleven children. Mrs. Crann resides in San Francisco and is a childless. According to Mrs. O'Connor, her sister has always displayed great affection for the O'Connor children, treating them as if they were her own.

"Our differences all came about money which my sister loaned me," said Mrs. O'Connor today. "My sister knew that I was not able to repay her at once, and understood that I would repay the loan as soon as I had finished paying for the land where I built a home. But she came to me on a Sunday night and insisted on my giving her a mortgage on our home instead. That was not in our agreement and was quite impossible."

"My husband has a good position with the railroad company and is not a 'section chief,' continued Mrs. O'Connor. "I have never quarreled with my sister, though she was very excited and called me names. I am well known here. Here are my children, who were born and raised in Oakland. I certainly would not cheat my sister. We are as affectionate as sisters could be until she demanded this mortgage. She made an agreement about loaning the money to me, but no word was said of a mortgage. She knew I would repay as soon as I could. I think she would not have acted as she had but for bad advisers."

Young Holloway in Court.

The case of Ernest Holloway, arrested by Fred Clift and Officer Hand for battering several small boys yesterday, was continued in the Police Court this morning till March 27th to trial. The accused was found having entered the basement under Durfee's residence in East Oakland recently and stolen a lot of tools.

CHINESE BURGLAR LANDS IN JAIL.

Chin Tun, alias Ah Gun, alias Chin Ann, who served four months in the city prison last year on conviction of a charge of petty larceny, was today arrested by Detective Shorey and Officer Cox on a warrant sworn out in the Police Court by George W. Durfee, who charges Durfee by Policeman Cox yesterday. A large number of tools were found in his possession. January 20, 1899, Ah Gun was arrested for stealing tools from Frank B. Polk of Eighteenth street. For that crime he served four months in the City Prison. Now he may find a prior conviction facing him, which will have the effect of making his latest offense rank with grand larceny. If convicted Ah Gun may be sent to State Prison.

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Charges Cruelty.

Gertrude M. Sharpe has filed suit for divorce from Frank B. Sharpe on the ground of extreme cruelty. Her attorney's are Snod and Church.

DANGER OF FIGHT ENDED.

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CURRENT CASH A CLEVER PLAY.

"Current Cash" continues to draw a plentiful supply of that desirable article into the Dewey box office. The house is well filled nightly, and the applause attests that the efforts of the Dewey Company are appreciated. The play is cleverly constructed, and while strongly dramatic has plenty of humor to enliven it, which is furnished by Charles E. Verner as Private Dodes and De Witt Clinton as the lame English drake.

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ENDEAVORERS

HARD AT WORK.

What Young Christians of Alameda County are Doing.

Edited By the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union.

(Communications for this column should reach Miss May B. Craft, 112 East Nineteenth street, Oakland, not later than Thursday morning.)

The meeting of the County Executive Committee held on Monday evening, March 18, was very well attended. President Rodgers presided and Vice-President H. W. Du-Mars presided over the meeting with devotional exercises which were very helpful.

The reports of the committee and officers were very good, considering that this is but the second month of their work and the reports showed that they were going about it in the right way. The president's report particularly showed hard work, as many societies had been visited.

The treasurer's report showed the finances to be in very prosperous condition, and later in the meeting several bills were ordered paid. Dr. O. S. Dean presented a bill amounting to \$3.10 on account of expenses incurred by him when in office. After it was ordered paid the doctor very generously gave the money to go toward the pledge made by the delegates to the State convention at Stockton last year. This pledge was \$20 and was afterwards thought to be more than the Union could afford, and Dr. Dean wished to give this as his share, but President Rodgers thought the Union should pay the pledge out of its treasury, as it can well afford to do so. The pledge will be immediately paid to the State Union.

Arthur Humphrey, the faithful and energetic chairman of the Sabbath Observance Committee, was re-elected to that office, and said in regard to the work done toward closing the postoffice on Sunday that the committee was going to call upon our Congressman and Senator, Mr. Metcalf and Mr. Perkins, and see what could be done toward getting their help in the matter.

"Santa Ana 100" was enthusiastically presented by George Lowell and President Rodgers.

A communication was read from the Epworth League 1901 Committee inviting all Endeavorers of the county who are singers to join the great chorus which is just beginning practice for their convention to be held in July. The letter also asked that a list of the societies of the county be furnished them that they might send letters to each society, extending the invitation to the singers. President Rodgers urged that all Endeavorers would take an interest in this Epworth League Convention and lend any assistance which they could.

As there was not a great deal of business to be transacted, the meeting adjourned early.

Next Monday, March 25th, the Berkeley Executive Committee will meet at Stiles Hall at 8 p. m. sharp. At this meeting the annual reports from the officers of the past year will be given and the officers for the coming year elected.

All that are interested in the work of the Berkeley C. E. Union should be present, whether a delegate from a society or not.

A most delightful social was given, on Tuesday evening last by the Christian

AT BED TIME.

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant taste. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as an extract, and is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25 and 50 cts. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, 12 Roy, N. Y.



BLOOD MAY YET FLOW AT TIEN Tsin.

Russians Weaken But Trouble Is Likely to Be Renewed.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Licensed Wire.

NEW YORK, Mar. 22.—A dispatch to the Herald from Tien Tsin says:

Altercations continue here between the French and British. An Indian officer of high rank was shot in a French sergeant. The discipline of the French forces leaves much to be desired. While the French officers are evidently doing their best to maintain discipline, it would not surprise any one to see the French troops get beyond control at any moment. Already have been heard French soldiers bussing their own officers, and it is reported that some French soldiers have been stoned in a mysterious manner by natives coming from untracable quarters.

Contingents of Cossacks are continually drilling in, and the Russians have now 400 men more than they had here a day previous. Nothing has yet been heard of the arrival at the mouth of the river of the expected reinforcements from Port Arthur. New Chwang. On the other hand it is reported and believed here that the British fleet is collecting at Wei Hui Wei for the purpose of inciting a naval demonstration against Port Arthur.

Contrary to expectations, the days have passed without serious conflict. The Russians, with the help of between three and four hundred coolies, are building a road along the river in front of their concession. They have now reached a point within fifty yards of the British sentinel and the work is proceeding rapidly.

The British advanced picket lines between thirty and forty feet from the bank, and there would not be room for the road to be constructed without disturbing the ground upon which the British picket is stationed.

General Campbell informed the Russians, however, that he would regard as an act of aggression any attempt of the road builders to disturb the shikereek or undermine the position of the British sentries.

It is understood here that General Campbell will make a withdrawal and apology.

The New South Wales naval brigade is here from Peking for the purpose of reinforcing the Victorian contingent in garrisoning the British settlement.

The presence of these troops and the arrival of marines from Taku has had a reassuring effect upon the community. A plan to barbedore the British settlement has been much discussed but has not been carried out.

Thursday morning the Russian working parties stopped work on the river side road when they had reached a point within twenty feet of the British position.

They subsequently resumed the construction of the road at a point 400 yards further up, and the danger of actual conflict has thus been obviated for the present.

Frederick From Husband.

Jennie Sparhawk has been granted a divorce from W. A. Sparhawk on the ground of desertion and was permitted to resume her maiden name of Jennie Olsen.

THEORIES ABOUT FOOD.

Also a Few Facts on the Same Subject.

We hear much nowadays about health foods and hygienic living, health vegetarians and many other fads along the same line.

Restaurants may be found in the large cities where no meats, pastry or coffee is served and the food crunk is in its glory, and arguments and theories galore advanced to prove that meat was never intended for human stomachs, and almost make us believe that our sturdy ancestors who lived four score years in robust health on roast beef, pork and mutton must have been grossly ignorant of the laws of nature.

Our forefathers had other things to do than formulate theories about the food they ate. A warm welcome was extended to any kind, from bacon to acorns.

A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and meats is undoubtedly the best.

As compared with grains and vegetables, meat furnishes the most nutriment in a highly concentrated form, and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegetables and grains.

Dr. Julius Remmison on this subject says: Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality, should eat meat and plenty of it. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily corrected by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three hours, and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experienced if a regular practice is made of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they supply the pepsi and diastase necessary to perfect digestion, and every form of indigestion will be overcome by their use.

That large class of people who come under the head of nervous dyspepsia should eat plenty of meat and insure its proper digestion by the daily use of a safe, harmless digestive medicine like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of the natural digestive principles, pepsi, diastase, fruit acids and salts, which actually perform the work of digestion. Cheap cathartic medicines masquerading under the name of dyspepsia cures are useless for indigestion, as they have absolutely no effect upon the actual digestion of food.

Dyspepsia in all its many forms is simply a failure of the stomach to digest food and the sensible way to solve the riddle and cure the dyspepsia is to make daily use at meal time of a preparation like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which is endorsed by the medical profession and known to contain active digestive principles.

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PICNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.

March 24—Beer Drivers' Benevolent Society of San Francisco.

FRIDAY MARCH 22, 1931

THE GOVERNOR AND PARDEE.

A San Francisco dispatch states that friends of Governor Gage are indignant at the tone of carping detraction that Pardee habitually uses in speaking of the Governor and his administration. They say this is a poor return for the honor conferred upon Pardee by appointing him Regent of the State University. They consider it bad taste for a defeated candidate to thus belittle his successful rival for party preferment. It is perhaps natural for the Governor's friends to feel annoyed at this, but in Alameda county, where Dr. Pardee's political peculiarities are understood, it excites no surprise and but little remark. For many years it has been Dr. Pardee's fixed rule in politics to stamp as unworthy, either by insinuation or direct assertion, every man who has stood in the way of his ambition. Covert or open assault upon the personal reputation of his opponents has been the distinguishing characteristic of his political career. This calls to mind that there were two Alameda candidates for the Republican Gubernatorial nomination in 1898. When Dr. Pardee carried the primaries W. R. Davis promptly fell in behind his successful opponent. When Governor Gage received the nomination Mr. Davis was among the first to take the stump in his behalf, and has ever since been his loyal and consistent supporter. He has received no mark of honor at the Governor's hands, but he can always be depended upon to give him cordial and effective support. He does not snarl at the Chief Executive nor flout the leading features of his policy by jeering remarks in either public or private conversation.

A MATTER OF SENTIMENT.

What has become of the knapsack? For ten years after the close of the Civil War every American boy had well-developed desires for, first, a pair of red-topped boots, and, second, a knapsack in which to carry his books. Now you never see one. The Spanish war has left no such visible reminder of the occurrence in the daily life of Young Americans. The enormous orange crop produced south of Tehachapi this year, censor of the former generation and his toys and playthings are cheaper and more numerous, but an unsuggestive leather strap holds his leather school books together, and he has no hide-covered square box in whose mysterious depths are hidden forbidden odds and ends. The Spanish war has been singularly devoid of lasting impressions, judging from the love of boyhood, and Dewey and Manila Bay are the only things remembered by the youngsters. You can't carry schoolbooks in them, however, and the disappearance of the knapsack from schoolboy life has left an aching void.

What an opportunity is presented for local charities in the prospective duel between the Princes and the Mayor. Admission tickets at \$5 and \$10 apiece would find a ready market if the affair could be brought off in some public place, and there need be no fear of serious results, for the contestants could be placed a mile apart, which would be appropriate for a race track squabble in view of the long shots entailed. Anything—even popcorn—would be better than the mere "shouting off of mouths" they are now indulging in, for it is impossible to get satisfaction out of a wrangle.

Those who have been thinking that by organizing in another State they could dodge the new law imposing heavy filing fees for incorporation are going to be badly fooled. The Legislature, foreseeing this, passed a companion measure whereby all foreign corporations doing business here must also file articles in this State, paying full fees thereon, or else be subjected to a \$5000 penalty. That more than even things up, for now a California promoter organizing outside of the State will have to pay two sets of fees.

George Burchell was clearly elected as Councilman-at-Large to represent the Second ward, and would have been permitted to enjoy his seat in peace had he been inclined to do down and worship at the shrine of the Municipal League, giving up manhood, patronage and everything else. But as Mr. Burchell is an independent man, he is to be bound and put to all the expense possible by a contested election lawsuit. For this reason a suit has been filed by a young man named Allen, who was scarcely born when Mr. Burchell was a taxpaying citizen of Oakland.

Carnegie is one rich man who does not propose to have his estate looted in the future by adventurers, squanderers or will smashers. Judging by the manner in which he is giving away millions right and left he won't leave much behind him, for enormous though his fortune undoubtedly is, it cannot long stand the drain to which he is subjecting it. Five millions last week to New York and now five millions to Philadelphia are the latest items, and so far he has given no indication of checking his princely philanthropy.

Even with the Santa Fe competing line in full operation it is feared the railroads will not be able to handle the enormous orange crop produced south of Tehachapi this year. We are progressing so fast out here nowadays that it is almost impossible to keep pace with the advance and the question of what the wealth and commerce of California will amount to fifty years from now is one of stupendous possibility.

Very new ledgers of great value are said to have been recently uncovered in the marble quarries of Inyo county, California may be turning a marble heart to the rest of the world, but it is the sort that will bring us friends rather than otherwise.

DUKE OF SAXE WEIMAR TO WED.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

WEIMAR, March 22.—It is stated on reliable authority that the Grand Duke Wilhelm Ernest of Saxe Weimar will, on the expiration of the period of mourning for Queen Victoria, become engaged to the youngest daughter of the late Duke Alfred of Saxe Coburg and Gotha.

STARBEAMS.

Some men of force are only so through force of habit.

The latest new woman wants to brace up and be a man.

Stock in the woolen trust is below par. Watering it probably made it shrink.

Some men would have less difficulty in passing counterfeit money than in passing a saloon.

After all, there are few girls that even reach the age of 18 without experiencing the joys of broken heart.

It hell is paved with good intentions, says the Philadelphia Record, the sidewalks must be crowded with painless deaths.

Some injured wives, who complain that they have nothing to live for, seem to forget that their husbands may have life insurance.

It is reported that Bob Fitzsimmons has become a spiritualist. It was spirit that ruined John L. Sullivan and many other noted pugilists.

There really doesn't seem to be any special reason why Cuba should bear a grudge against America for freeing her from Spain. Still it's the old story of the peacemaker in a family quarrel—Kansan City Star.

TWO POINTS OF VIEW.

HERS.

I saw my love and sold it that it was good;
Then laid it as an offering at thy feet.
And dreamed that it could make thy life complete,
And be thy spirit's satisfying food.

This thought by thee was never understood;
For thou my precious gift didst lightly treat.
As some new toy to make thy leisure sweet,
And be thy plaything in a happy mood.

Thy careless moments are reserved for me,
Who long in vain to comfort thee with love,

And wrest thy struggling soul from sorrow's power.
Dear, is it right that such a thing should be?

That all the passion of my heart should prove

A pleasant pastime for an idle hour?

HIS.

Upon thy love I made no great demands;
Nor daily needs before it dared to bring,

Because I held it such a holy thing

I feared to touch it with unwashed hands,
Do travelers brush the stains of dusty lands

With feathers borrowed from an angel's wing?

Or sons of toll the songs of Zion sing?

Deside the busy Babylonian sands?

Though common enteres are hidden from thine eyes,

And sorrow never ventures in thy sight,

Let not the glory of thy love grow dim.

Nay, Sweetheart—shall the sun refuse to rise

Because he never saw the world by night?

So thinks the morning has no need of him.

—Lillian Thorneycroft Fowler.

VIOLATING OUR IMMIGRATION LAWS.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

UTICA, N. Y., March 22.—Many destitute immigrants are arriving in Utica from the north. Apparently the barrier which the immigration laws are supposed to extend about the United States is broken at some point on the northern boundary of the State of New York. Within the last few days the police have picked up many immigrants, including a family of destitute Russians. The appearance of the Russians occasioned comment, because the laws of the nation do not allow the destitute to be landed by the steamship companies.

For a long time it has been easy for the prohibited ones to sneak into the country across the northern border. It has long been a favorite gateway for the Chinamen, who, for some strange reason, travel from the landing place on the Pacific away across the continent to enter by the State of New York route. If it should come about that other classes of immigrants find that this is a desirable thing to do the influx will be decidedly costly.

VANDERBILT'S WORKMEN STRIKE.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Delegations from the Building Trades Unions of New York city have been to Oakdale, L. I., to order out about 100 mechanics who were employed on William K. Vanderbilt's summer residence, "Idle Hour." In consequence seventy-five of the workmen came back to Manhattan, and those who lived in the vicinity returned to their homes, and work on the building came to a standstill. The trouble arose from the fact that the principal contractor sublet the steam piping to a plumber who does not employ union men. The carpenters and decorators remained at work, but expect orders from their unions to leave the job at once. Mr. Vanderbilt was endeavoring by the employment of a large force of men to have "Idle Hour" ready for occupancy this summer. The building on which work was progressing burned about a year ago.

SAYS HE IS GUDAHY'S KIDNAPER.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

DALLAS, Tex., March 22.—According to a statement made by H. W. Summers, County Attorney, a prisoner in the Dallas jail named H. H. Henderson has declared himself to be the kidnaper of young Gudahy of Omaha. He did not give facts and circumstances and did not swear to his statement, although he had been warned as required by law, but says a young Gudahy will identify him. He says he came here from El Paso and to that place from Denver. He says he was born in Iowa, that he once had a patent right which he sold for \$50,000. He stands convicted here of swindling, and has been sentenced to thirteen years in the penitentiary.

ALARMING WAR NEWS FROM CHINA.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch to the Herald from Berlin says:

A number of newspapers publish alarming news in regard to the situation in China. England is said to be backing up Japan, which is mobilizing her army, and the Russian fleet is assembling at the Yalu river.

The mediation of Count von Waldersee in the Tien Tsin dispute has been refused by both England and Russia.

An article in the semi-official Post does its best to calm the public mind and states that there is no ground for anxiety. Certain influences, it states, will be exerted in order to prevent the present conflict becoming embittered.

MANCHURIAN TREATY HANGS FIRE.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

LONDON, March 22.—Advices have been received here from Peking to the effect that Yang Yu, the Chinese Minister at St. Petersburg, recently stated that modifications of some of the articles of the Manchurian treaty had been conceded by Russia. It is claimed these modifications were intended to avoid placing obstacles in the way of sovereignty and independence of China. The modifications were forwarded by the Chinese plenipotentiaries to the court at Peking. An edict has been received at Peking in reply stating that the treaty cannot receive imperial sanction.

FAREWELL TO

HIS DAYS OF
CELIBACY.Superb Banquet Given
Thos. H. Williams, Jr.
By His Friends.

Thomas H. Williams Jr., President of the California Jockey Club, who is to wed Miss Beatrice Steele tomorrow evening, was "farewelled" at a banquet last night by a score of his most intimate friends. The affair occurred at the Pacific Union Club in San Francisco. It was pronounced one of the most delightful banquets ever participated in by those present. Such well known and seasoned club men as Herman Oelrichs, Col. H. H. Veuve, J. Nagle Burke, and others arranged it. "Needless to say everything was on up-to-date and most correct lines."

One of the club's small dining rooms was beautifully decorated for the occasion, yellow and black, the colors of the California Jockey Club, predominating. Black ribbons attached to oranges were pinned to the walls in numerous places. There were also evergreens used in the decorations.

A large, round table in the center of the room, around which some twenty-three friends of Mr. Williams gathered, was adorned with cherry and apple blossoms and a profusion of cut glass. At the head, Colonel H. H. Veuve presided as chairman, with the guest of honor, Mr. Williams, on his right. The other gentlemen present were Herman Oelrichs, F. T. Carlson, W. T. Byrne President of the Pacific Union Club, Alexander Hamilton, F. R. Webster, Walter S. Martin, J. N. Burke, C. E. Paxton, Louis Liseau, Robert R. Grayson, Harry J. Creswell, W. S. Leake, Truxton Bendo, W. J. Martin, Thomas McCaleb, C. S. Givens, Thomas Blaney, J. B. Holden, C. H. Haswell, J. M. Quay, Charles G. Lyman and Carroll Mercer.

The banquet began at 7:30 and cigars were lighted at 10 o'clock. Then informal speech making was indulged in.

Herman Oelrichs led off with felicitous remarks, in which he said:

"We are all, I take it, almost too intimate with Tom Williams and ourselves to throw 'bouquets' at him or at each other. It seems to me that we will all be better pleased if I limit my remarks to expressing our pleasure at having him with us this evening as our guest. He is not going to leave us to selfishly enjoy his new-found happiness. He proposes to remain right here among us and he expects us all to be witnesses of his felicity. He has proven by recent events that he is great in war and I am sure, he will be great in peace. As a result of the war he should settle up and as a result of peace he should settle down. We cannot separate the two who, in a few hours are to be made one, and so I propose the health of the bride and groom, to be drunk in bumper."

After the toast had been drunk in glasses of sparkling wine, Mr. Oelrichs resumed and concluded his remarks by presenting, with the best wishes of those present, a superb punch bowl to Mr. Williams.

The bowl is a massive silver, gold lined, with a heavy raised row of vine leaves and grapevines, gold top and bottom. The exterior bears the inscription:

"THOMAS H. WILLIAMS JR.

From His Friends.

The donor's name is engraved upon the bowl, which weighs 65 ounces. The lid, of old Dutch type, with a silver owl handle, weighs ten ounces.

It was with considerable emotion that Mr. Williams accepted the gift, saying:

"It was understood that there should be no speeches tonight and so I will give you my thanks for this kind expression of your regard for me. This is not a farewell dinner, as many have supposed. It is the most hospitable reception I have ever had in my life, and all I can say is that I hope that my better half is a million times better than I am. I trust that I shall be able to invite all to my home. Once again I thank you."

The toast, "To the Better Half" was then proposed by Mr. Oelrichs and participated in with deep sincerity. The punch bowl was filled with sparkling liquid and circulated around the room, and for some hours the gentlemen conversed. When they dispersed it was with a heartfelt wish that Tom Williams and his bride would enjoy for many years the name of happiness.

Following are the entries for the various events:

100 yard dash—Weller and Thompson.

100 yard dash—Powers and Brainerd, U. C.

100 yard run—Henley, Hoag, Utkah.

1000 yard run—Grover, Weller, Utkah.

Service, Powers, Brainerd, U. C.

120 yard hurdles—Weller, Thomas, Utkah.

Powell, U. C.

220 yard hurdles—Weller, Hoag, Utkah.

Powell, U. C.

440 yard dash—Powers, Seawell, Patton.

Utkah, Powers, Service, U. C.

440 yard jump—Weller, Flinn, Brown, Utkah; Hussey, Brainerd, U. C.

Pole vault—Seawell, Patton, Utkah; Duden, U. C.

Shot put—Dutton, Brown, Cunningham, Utkah; Flinn, Utkah; Albertson, Utkah; Hammer throw—Dutton, Brown, Utkah; Flinn, Utkah.

The Utkah team will be captained by H. S. Thompson and managed by E. J. Powers. The team will return to Berkeley on Sunday evening.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children's teething. It relieves the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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We display the goods, tell you the prices, and your good judgment does all the urging.

Children's White Dresses—beautifully made lawn and organdie garments suitable for Confirmation ceremonies. Sizes 4 to 14 years; lace and embroidery trimmed—**1.50, 2.25, 2.50 up.**

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A SPECIAL CORSET offer is a straight front, well made, black and drab **50c**—and a dozen other styles of good corsets.

New Muslin Underwear—is now ready from which to make an Easter selection. It includes full lines for misses and children—Prices right.

Crash Petticoats—are among the latest arrivals. A good garment is of a dark color, has deep flounce with three ruffles; extra width—**65c.**

More elaborately finished Crash Petticoats at **85c** and **1.00.**

Colored Petticoats—new designs and colors; near-silk, front **1.00**, Italian Cloth, **1.00 to 5.00**, sateen, **1.00 to 1.50**. This is a very handsome line of garments, possessing great durability.

New Gold Belting—with Persian edge, very rich in effect; the height of fashion at this time—**60c and 80c yd.**

New Shell Hair Combs—sincere designs, back combs, **10c, 25c, 35c** and up, side combs, **15c** pair, **25c, 35c, 50c** up.

REAL TORTOISE SHELL back combs from **2.00**.

Late conceits in Fancy Ribbons—stripes, plaids, Dusters and checks; novel arrangements of colors; all widths and at prices from **5c** to **60c** yard.

All manner of saucy bows tied free by an expert.

Belt Buckles—scores of attractive novelties, gilt, enameled and oxidized—**25c, 35c, 40c, 50c** and up to **2.00.**

Steel Trimming Buckles—good assortment of these handy articles—**5c, 7/1c, 10c, 12/1c** and up.

Tooth Brushes—good ones, **5c, 10c, 12/1c** and up.

Mounted Mirrors—oval, square and round, ornamental edge, on bronze frames—**25c** and **50c.**

Novelty Neckwear—stocks, jabots, gold cloth and ribbon effects, chiffon bows with spike end streamers—fully a hundred absolutely novel ideas in neckwear, beginning at **25c.**

Children's Bracelets—made of sterling silver; very pretty adornments, **35c** to **1.00.**

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Famous all new shades, **1.00**; 2-clasp Suede in white, grey, black or brown—an excellent dollar glove; Gent's Dent Gloves, new shades **1.85**; Misses gloves, all colors, **65c** to **1.25**, and all shades of gloves for boys at **1.00**.

Wash Dress Goods—the display of beautiful weaves, patterns and prices in several of our windows tells the whole story.

Tailor-Made Suits

—of the most stylish cut and finish and at prices that cannot be duplicated—those are the features of the department.

to the lasting credit of Schifter that he has steadily protested against this continual waste of public funds, but all the others seem to be delighted with their work. Hobie Hood and his merry men never cut the purses of a party of profligate travelers with more zest and glee than Mott and his gallant crew have shown in raking the city treasury of Oakland. Once there was legislation in this State that became famous for voting away large sums on all sorts of pretenses. One day a member who had valiantly tried to stay the tide of appropriations arose and solemnly asked how much money there was left in the treasury. The Speaker informed him, whereupon he said, "More that we rake her."

Mott's idea seems to be to rake her. He has only a few more days to get in his deadly work, but no keeps the rake constantly going. He should be suppressed by force of arms if necessary. If possible he and his associates should be prevented from voting away another dollar of the people's money. It looks as if they intended to make the wind-up one grand grab all round. The business should be summarily quashed.

STATEMENTS FILED OF ELECTION EXPENSES.

The statements from candidates setting forth their expenses of the recent municipal election are coming in fast. Following are those filed.

C. B. Morgan \$20, Frederick C. Turner

\$17.57, James A. Johnson, \$29.40, E. R.

Allen, contribution to campaign fund,

\$30, printing cards, \$11.50 total, \$11.50,

Fred C. Clark, \$10, Charles Bon, contribu-

tion to campaign fund, \$25, printing and ad-

vertising, \$2.50, total, \$28.50. George

Fitzgerald, contribution to campaign

fund, \$2, advertising, printing, etc., \$1.50,

J. S. Wilson, printing cards and ad-

vertising, \$1.50, total, \$1.50. George

Evans, \$6.15, James Smillie, \$1.15,

R. J. Hoyle, \$1.00, Giles H. Gray

\$1.25, H. C. Cudwell, \$1.00, D. E. Boy-

tree, \$1.00.

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RESOURCES OF NATIONAL BANKS

Great Gains Shown By the Controller's Report.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, March 22—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

The Controller of the Currency will soon publish a complete statement from all the national banks in the United States. As this statement is made in answer to the first call for 1901, the results are being awaited with much interest. The time between December 13th and February 5th, the date of the call is said in industrial circles to be the dull season. But figures already obtained from abstracts reflect surprisingly large gains as compared with the previous statement, which was a record breaker.

The aggregate resources of the 255 banks in New York State, as shown by the Controller's accounts, are \$206,159,376, which is \$226,661 less than the amount recorded in December, but is substantially greater than the figures of the first statement in 1900, which did not reach the \$200,000,000 mark. The new statement shows the amount of individual deposits of the empire State National banks, which is considered the bankers' barometer, to be \$123,956,773, a gain of \$1,634,886. The reports of the forty-four national banks in New York City indicate that their total resources and individual deposits are \$1,233,847,577, and \$559,150,857 respectively, which exceed the preceding official figures by the enormous sums of \$181,257,197, and \$2,640,113 respectively. The total resources of the national banks in the State of New York are shown to be \$1,056,638,555, while the individual deposits amount to \$70,702,091. It is estimated that with the savings bank resources and individual deposits combined with those of the national banks, the total bank assets in the entire State would be approximately \$2,000,000,000 and the deposits \$1,000,000,000. Flourishing bank conditions exist in other sections of the country, where in some sections the percentage of increase is greater than that of the empire State. A good example of the general activity is shown in the South. Since January 1, 1898, fifty-nine new banks have been established in this district, most of them in accordance with the act of March 24, 1900. The number recently reported to the Treasury was 288, about the same as from New York. The resources and deposits reported by the national banks of the Lone Star State are \$1,698,512 and \$77,457,125, exceeding the December record by \$309,318 and \$9,735,381 respectively. Probably the most remarkable reports have been sent to the Controller by the Oklahoma National Banks, whose abstracts reflect the substantial increases in deposits and resources of \$1,023,531 and \$12,571,611. In this Territory twenty-one national banks have been established since January 25, 1900.

In Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Illinois, including their principal cities, big increases in National Bank assets have been observed and the same encouraging reports are made concerning the bank statements for other States and cities, whose accounts have been balanced. Judging from the general run of the completed abstracts officials predict that the grand total of aggregate resources and individual deposits of all the national banks in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii will exceed by many millions the high water mark, which was recorded on December 13th, 1900, and the individual deposits were \$1,422,591,691 and the individual assets were \$2,232,997,521.

The six greatest financial cities in the United States, as reckoned by the Controller of the Currency, rank present as follows: New York, Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and St. Louis.

WORKMEN TO GIVE RECEPTION.

On Monday evening March 21 Oak Leaf Lodge, No. 35 A. O. U. W. will tender a reception to the Pacific Lodge, No. 7. These lodges of the A. O. U. W. have worked hand in hand for many years and have always been harmonious in all their undertakings beneficial to the interests of the Order. We are cordially invited to be present. Past Master Workman Cagan, chairman of the Committee of arrangements, promises a grand time to all attending.

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"BUNCOMBE."

It Don't Always Pay to Be Skeptical

When a newspaper writer and proof reader that works nights can feed him out of dispenses, which most all that class suffer with, it is worth while to know the kind of food used.

This man is on one of the Rokeford, Ill., papers, and says, "Being a newspaper writer and proof reader, also a graduate in medicine as well, though not practicing, makes a combination that would produce a skeptic on the subject if anything would."

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LIFE INSURANCE policies bought for cash or loaned on. See W. H. Gerry, 53-55, 56 Broadway, Oakland.

FOR "Up-to-Date Signs" see ALDEN DORF, El Sueño Signs, cor. Clay and Seventeenth. Tel. green 21.

PERSONALS

TOMORROW and for a week we will give a youth's or child's stay hat with every \$10 purchase or over; kid gloves, and valises at remarkably low prices, at H. Schellman's store, corner Eleventh and Franklin sts.

LOANING LIBRARY—55 San Pablo ave; latest works in fiction; also current magazines, occult and rare literature; monthly membership 25 cents.

MRS. M. VAN, the medicine manufacturer of the "SCOTCH BIRCH PILE CURE" and the "SCOTCH THISTLE CURE" for piles, for the past 20 years, moved from 555 San Pablo ave. to Oaklant, to 501 Turk st., San Francisco, and will be pleased at any time to see her friends and the public generally.

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Black spaniel dog. Owner may have come by calling at 108 Eighth st., East Oakland.

LOST—Diamond stud; valued as diamond; slight reward. It returned to this office.

LOST—March 15, black ribbon chain with a 10 cent. weight. Return to H. Lantosky, 51 Broadway; reward.

SELL OUT of runaway team on Sixth st., bet. Broadway and Jackson; this morning, each of drivers and other various plumbing, etc., liberal reward by returning to H. Lantosky, 51 Broadway.

LOST—Sunday, gold chain bracelet, 70 cent. st., bet. Jefferson and Pachet. Return to Miss. C. A. 637 Fifth st., reward.

LOST—A fan buckle and Masonic watch chain with ribbon in one end; lost in fashion between 14th and 16th, Saturday noon. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

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\$500 TO LOAN—Bargains in real estate houses rented. Brought to 45 Tenth st., D. E. McDonald & Co., 211 Broadway.

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FROM \$100 upward. Dr. Ray Smith, Searcher of Records and N. P. 420th.

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**Cooked Pressed Corned Beef
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New Store
Good Service

A TRIBUTE TO PHIL REMILLARD

**Native Sons Regret
His Untimely
Demise.**

At the last meeting of Oakland Parlor, No. 59, N. S. G. W., the following resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Phillip H. Remillard were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, An all-tiling Providence has summoned from amongst us, our friend and brother, Phillip H. Remillard;

"Resolved, That, by the death of our brother, Oakland Parlor has lost one of her most loyal and honored members; our state a devoted and respected citizen whose ability, integrity, sincerity and kindness won for him a host of admiring friends who now deeply mourn his loss. As Native Sons we esteemed him as a brother, as friends we valued his companionship;

"Resolved, That we tender to his family, in this their hour of sorrow, our sincere and heartfelt sympathy, and that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to them:

"R. M. FITZGERALD,
"H. M. LEONARD,
"J. H. AMES,
"Committee."

TALCOTT BRINGS MANDAMUS SUIT.

J. R. Talcott has filed a petition for a writ of mandamus compelling the Board of Trustees of the Monroe School District to pay him \$100 for a school house site. The petition arises out of the difficulties resulting from the recent election in that district for the selection of a school site. Two sites were offered and two votes were held. In the former, a site offered by W. G. Henshaw was selected. In the second election Talcott's site was selected. He had recently instituted proceedings to compel the superintendent of Schools to pay him \$100 for his site. The action however was against him. Talcott will now try his hand at mandamus proceedings.

New Oil Company.

The Celery Ridge Oil and Development Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$100,000, of which \$50,000 has been subscribed by James B. Barber, A. H. Cornelius, A. O. Cushing, W. P. Dillon, D. S. Drexler, E. J. Dubois, B. C. Hodges and W. B. Hodges.



This is the burden of our song for Saturday. Only because we bought this immense stock of high-class shoes at a lump sum on account of owner's sickness, we are able to offer you just genuine bargains.

JUST COME TO LOOK

Here are three samples of the manner in which we have cut prices—

LADIES' VICI KID,
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